

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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OFFICE OF PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

## **MEMORANDUM**

SUBJECT:

Special Review Action Code 870 Maneb Data Screen

for Nectarines, Apricots, Figs, Turnip Tops.

MRID No's 40067600 - 40067604 [RCB No. 1935]

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RCB has been asked to screen/review this EBDC data package submitted in connection with the NRDC suit.

RCB has screened/reviewed the Maneb and ethylene thiourea residue data contained in Volumes 2-5, listed on the attached sheets.

Although residue data on the following four commodities were submitted the data do not reflect the registrants intended protocols for residue field trials.

Nectarines - (Vol. 2, MRID No. 400676-01)
Residue data were submitted only from one (CA) field trial.

Apricots - (Vol. 3, MRID No. 400676-02)
Residue data were submitted only from one (CA) field trial.

Turnip Tops - (Vol. 4, MRID No. 400676-03)
Residue Data were submitted only from one (GA) field trial.

Figs - (Vol. 5, MRID No. 400676-04)
Residue data were submitted only from one (CA) field trial

## Conclusions

- (1). The registrant submitted residue data for nectarines, apricots, turnip tops and figs. These data are inadequate in terms of number of samples. In addition, since no frozen storage stability data were provided no determination can be made regarding potential decomposition of residues during frozen storage.
- (2). Although we have identified only the obvious deficiencies in this screen, additional data deficiencies may be noted upon completion of a full RCB review.
- (3). Since only one residue trial was submitted for each of these four crops, the data are not even adequate for dietary exposure assessment and thus do not pass the screen.

Attachment: Sheet - MRID-400676-00



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-MRID-400676-00 Attachment to Special Review

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2. Regulatory Action in Support of Which This Package is Submitted:

Data submitted in response to the EPA Data Call-In Notice of October 19, 1984 for Maneb - Magnitude of the Residue.

- 3. Transmittal Date: January 31, 1987
- 4. List of Submitted Studies:
  - Vol. 1 Administrative Documents
- Vol. 2 Maneb and Ethylene Thiourea: Magnitude of the Residue in Nectarines Treated by Ground Equipment in California, 1986. File/Issue No. Man/87002. EPA Guideline No. 171-4. Written by Douglas G. Baugher, Ph.D., Orius Associates, Ijamsville, Maryland.
- Vol. 3 Maneb and Ethylene Thiourea: Magnitude of the Residue in Apricots Treated by Ground Equipment in California, 1986. File/Issue No. Man/87003. EPA Guideline No. 171-4. Written by Douglas G. Baugher, Ph.D., Orius Associates, Ijamsville, Maryland.
- Vol. 4 Maneb and Ethylene Thiourea: Magnitude of the Residue in Turnip Tops Treated by Ground Equipment in Georgia, 1986. File/Issue No. Man/87007. EPA Guideline No. 171-4. Written by Douglas G. Baugher, Ph.D., Orius Associates, Ijamsville, Maryland.

Vol. 5 Maneb and Ethylene Thiourea: Magnitude of the Residue in Figs Treated by Ground Equipment in California, 1986. File/Issue No. Man/87014. EPA Guideline No. 171-4. Written by Douglas G. Baugher, Ph.D., Orius Associates, Ijamsville, Maryland.

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